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PATENT APPLICATION  
10/633,757

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Johannes Ilg et al.  
Serial No.: 10/633,757  
Date Filed: August 4, 2003  
Group Art Unit: 2836  
Examiner: Jackson, Stephen W.  
Title: **PROTECTIVE CIRCUIT AND METHOD  
FOR OPERATING SAID PROTECTIVE  
CIRCUIT, IN PARTICULAR FOR  
OVERVOLTAGE PROTECTION FOR AN  
ELECTRONIC CONTROL SYSTEM FOR  
A MOTOR VEHICLE**

**MAIL STOP – AMENDMENT**  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

In response to the Office Action mailed August 7, 2006, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments set forth below and request favorable action thereon.

**Amendments to Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.